

Sinclair
Broadcasting's
decision to force
their stations to
air an anti-Kerry
documentary days
before the election
is a clear example
of the dangers of
media consolidation.

Sinclair uses the
public airwaves free
of charge, and is
obligated by law to
serve the public
interest; however,
Sinclair is using
its position to push
its own political
agenda under the
guise of "news." I
believe this is an
abusive use of the
public's trust.

Sinclair is not
merely advocating
its stations air the
documentary, they
are demanding it in
dictatorial fashion.
Its mode of
operation is
anti-democratic.

Sinclair's actions
show why we need to
strengthen media
ownership rules, not
weaken them.